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**Kelly Bros.**  
**Wholesale Nurseries**  
**Dansville, N. Y.**

**CATALOG FALL 1915**



**Direct  
from  
Grower  
to  
Planter**



# This Catalog is our only Salesman We Employ no Agents

We could not afford to sell our stock as cheaply as we do if we employed agents whose salaries and commissions often add 50% to 60% to the cost of stock. This catalog is our only representative and in buying from it you save the agent's or middleman's large profit. It is not our policy, and we believe it is a waste of your time and ours, for us to explain the methods and practices of some other nurserymen; but we do ask you to not believe the story of the agent who says our trees cannot be first class when we offer them at such low figures. Rather should you be guided by the following taken from the Government Department of Agriculture, Bulletin No. 113.

*"If the farmer makes his purchase direct from the nurseryman, he will save the expense of the middleman or agent and is less liable to the mistakes and injuries that may occur through repeated handling."*

## **Our Broad Guarantee to Customers**

Our guarantee is, we believe, the broadest and most liberal of any nurseryman in the country. Our guarantee means something to you, because it is backed by a firm with an established reputation, a firm that is established permanently. We guarantee our stock to reach our customers in good condition. We guarantee our stock to be free from San Jose Scale, Peach Yellows or other injurious pest or pests. We guarantee that all trees and plants purchased from us shall be **true to name as labelled**. **For any stock which does not prove true to name and as represented by us, and as bought by you, we are to make good your loss or damage by reason thereof at any time within ten years of the date of purchase.** In event we cannot agree, we are each to appoint one arbiter who shall choose the third and the award of a majority shall be binding on both parties. If there is any mistake on our part in regard to the stock you purchase from us we want you to tell us about it, and we will adjust the matter to your entire satisfaction. Our interest in the stock we send you does not cease when it leaves our hands. We believe our satisfied customers are our best advertisements.

### **Our References**

As to our responsibility and reliability we would ask our prospective customers to inquire of Dun's and Bradstreet's Commercial Agencies; Merchants & Farmers' National Bank, Dansville, N. Y.; The Citizens Bank of Dansville, N. Y., or any person whose letter appears in this catalog.

### **An Expression from Our Home People**

We, the undersigned, wish to say that we have known the Kelly Brothers for several years and have watched the steady increase in their business, until today they are one of the largest growers of fruit trees in Dansville.

We believe their success is due to their thorough knowledge of the business and their square dealing with their customers, and it is with pleasure that we recommend them to the planter and fruit grower.

WM. KRAMER, Pres. of Merchants & Farmers' National Bank  
J. M. EDWARDS, Cashier of Merchants & Farmers' National Bank  
F. A. OWEN, Pres. F. A. Owen Publishing Co.

All of Dansville, N. Y.





A picture of our large, modern, frost-proof packing house where all trees are carefully graded, packed and shipped. We have a private switch right to this packing house so there is no excuse for our trees and plants to be exposed before they leave our hands and we guarantee that they will carry safely through to destination with our careful method of packing.

## To Our Patrons and Friends



WE TAKE pleasure in presenting this revised edition of our Wholesale Catalog for Fall of 1915 and recommend it to your thoughtful consideration. We desire to take this opportunity to thank our customers and friends for the liberal patronage extended to us during the past season, and to respectfully solicit future orders.

Business was good last season; far better than that of any previous year, and we realize that this was due in a great measure to your hearty co-operation in recommending our stock to your friends and neighbors. We assure you that your orders will receive the same careful attention in the future as in the past, and that we will always deliver to you only the very **best** stock, grown, dug and packed in a workmanlike manner.

To you who have never dealt with us, we refer you to those whom we give as references in this Catalog, or to any one whose letter of recommendation appears herein. We make no appeal to the unthinking, or to those easily caught with fine phrases. All that we ask is your **first** order—then it will be up to us to retain your patronage.

We know that healthy trees, free from disease and absolutely True to Name, are the only trees a nurseryman can deliver and remain long in business. We earnestly request your most searching inquiry as to our reputation in this respect.

Leading orchardists and most experienced fruit growers are continually recommending Kelly Bros. to planters who desire to place their orders with a firm that stands back of every sale, that grows the **best** stock, delivers the **best** to customers—in a word, grows and sells stock that gives the **best** results.

We would be pleased to have you visit us here at Dansville—the greatest nursery center in the world—and we are sure your visit would be a most interesting and pleasant one, both to you and ourselves. We would like to talk to you personally and to show you our nursery plant and growing stock, which many of our customers who have visited us say, are superior to what we represent them to be. If, however, this is not convenient, send in your order, and you may be certain it will be filled to your entire satisfaction with stock that is first class in every respect. Remember, we are always pleased to serve you, whether your order is large or small, and each and every order receives the same careful and painstaking attention.

# “You'll Never Regret Planting Kelly Trees”



## **Established for Thirty-five Years**

In 1880 we started in the nursery business and each succeeding year our business has steadily grown larger. We began growing fruit trees on a small scale, gradually increasing our plantings until now we have one of the largest nurseries in the country. In the development of our business our watchword has always been "the best at the lowest possible price." We have always tried to serve our customers so well as to merit their entire confidence and commendation, and we have only to refer to our thousands of satisfied patrons throughout the United States and Canada to prove that we have succeeded in our endeavor. We know that it pays to produce good stock and believe that poor stock, or stock not True to Name, is dear at any price—in fact, worthless, even as a gift. We have no agents and for this reason you can buy trees of us at a great saving as the agent's expenses and commission often add from 50% to 60% to the cost of stock.

### **Our Stock**

Our stock is the finest and best that can be grown. It is all high grade, well-rooted, mature and healthy. No San Jose Scale or Peach Yellows has ever been found in our nurseries. We grow every tree we offer for sale and thus we are able to guarantee it to be strictly **true to name** and **free** from all disease. We plant only the most select imported seedlings. These we plant in soil particularly adapted to the successful raising of nursery stock. Step by step, through the various stages of cultivation and propagation, we exercise the greatest care, with the result that when the trees are mature, we have the finest and best that can be produced.

If you want stock that is True to Name, the only place to buy it is from the nurseryman who grows it, and not from dealers and agents who buy their stock here and there. It is self-evident that trees handled three or four times are often exposed to unfavorable conditions and thus injured. After trees have passed through so many hands, who knows what the varieties are? Our nurseries are regularly inspected by a New York State Inspector and a Certificate of Inspection has been issued to us. A copy of this certificate is attached to every order shipped by us.

### **Our Equipment**

We have gradually increased our equipment until today we believe no other nursery in the country has better facilities for handling orders whether they are large or small. All of our employees are experienced and competent, many of them having been with us for years, thus grasping our ideas of how things should be done. This makes every detail of our large business work out smoothly and accurately. Our modern and up-to-date packing house contains fifteen thousand square feet of floor space and is absolutely frost proof. We have a private switch right to this packing house and thus there is no chance for our trees to be exposed or injured in any way.

### **Our Personal Supervision**

Each department from the planting, propagating and maturing of the trees to the selling through our catalog is in direct charge of a member of our firm. Following are the names of the members and the department to which each gives his attention: James A. Kelly, selection and planting of seedlings; Edward T. Kelly, selection of scions and budding; William F. Kelly digging and grading of trees; Richard A. Kelly, selling through catalog and correspondence; Clement A. Kelly, packing and shipping of orders. It will readily be seen that in this way the best attention is given every branch of our business—better attention than could possibly be given by the most faithful and painstaking employees.



Picture of one of our large blocks of two year old Apple Trees, taken in early summer





# Direct from Grower to Planter



## Satisfied Customers Are Our Best Advertisements

Here are only a very few of the many unsolicited letters we have received from our customers testifying as to the quality of our stock, prompt attention in filling orders, and fair dealing. Read them:

615 Wyoming Ave., Wyoming, Pa., March 15, 1915  
Messrs. Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—  
Have just returned from our farm at Ulster, Pa., where I superintended the setting of the order of trees received from you. I want especially, to thank you for the extra good quality of trees you have sent us, they were equal to, if not better than any trees we have ever bought, regardless of price paid. I wish also to speak in the highest terms of the honest, honorable and fair treatment we have received from you. It sure is a pleasure to do business with people you can put confidence in, and if in the future we need any more trees, which we likely will, we will know that we can get satisfaction from Kelly Bros. Thanking you for past courtesies, we are,  
Yours very truly,  
ALEX MURDOCK & SON.

Derry, N. H., June 10, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
Your shipment of trees came in fine shape and were a fine lot. I was very much pleased with them; shall want more next year.

Yours fraternally,  
WESLEY ADAMS,  
Master N. H. State Grange.

Sturgeon Bay, Wis., May 15, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
The trees recently ordered from you arrived in good condition and we are well pleased with them. We expect to be in the market for several thousand cherry trees this coming fall for next season's planting and will let you know our needs at that time.

Yours truly,  
STURGEON BAY FRUIT CO.,  
BENJAMIN JELINEK, Mgr.

Golden, Colo., April 21, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
I received the 700 Cherry trees today all O. K. I am well pleased with the trees.

Yours respectfully,  
JOHN MORRIS,  
Master Colorado State Grange.

Elm Grove, W. Va., May 1 1914

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Dear Sirs:—  
Received the trees safely and am very well pleased with them—nicest trees I ever saw come from a nursery. You will get my next order, I am,

Respectfully yours,  
W. S. BRISTOR.

Buckfield, Me., May 19, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Dear Sirs:—  
The order of trees came alright May 13th and are very satisfactory.

Yours truly,  
W. H. CONANT,  
Pres. Maine State Pomological Society.

No. Germantown, N. Y., April 10, 1915

Messrs. Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Dear Sirs:—  
I am very well pleased with the trees. I opened the box at the station; there were several fruit growers around who said they were as fine a stock as they have ever seen.

Very sincerely,  
PETER FINGAR.

Germantown, Ohio, April 12, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Dear Sirs:—  
I received the trees, vines and shrubs in good shape. They were well rooted, and are surely in good shape to start right off growing. Many thanks for the extra trees. I can always speak a good word for Kelly Bros.

Yours truly,  
E. L. ZEHRING.

Brooklyn, N. Y., 483 Bedford Ave., Oct. 17, 1914

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
Please send to S. T. Austin, Passaic, N. J., care of Passaic Metal Ware Co., one Montmorency Cherry tree, the best you have for fall planting. This tree is to replace one that I accidentally broke. The 410 trees that you sent me for my place in Maine are in fine condition. I set them all last June and out of the 410 trees I only lost one and that was killed by fire.

Yours truly,  
L. W. AUSTIN.

Townsend, Mass., June 7, 1915

Kelly Bros. Wholesale Nurseries, Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
I wish to thank you for the fine stock sent me this season also for the prompt service in filling my orders for nursery stock.

Yours very truly,  
R. B. PIPER,  
Landscape Gardener, Pomologist and Tree Expert.

New Market, Va., April 15, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
I received my trees today. They surely are nice ones and in good condition. Nicer trees than I expected.

Yours very truly,  
A. S. ZIRKLE.

Grass Lake, Mich., April 14, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
Received your consignment of fruit trees, and must say they are A No. 1 trees in A No. 1 condition. Thanking you for your compliments and hoping for your future success, I remain,  
Sincerely yours,  
THOS. H. DONLEY, R. 3.

Consecon, Ont., Can., Nov. 28, 1914

Kelly Bros. Nurserymen, Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
Received my order of trees on Nov. 25th. Am well pleased with the order, in fact I think it is the best order that I have ever received and I have been setting out trees for the last ten years. You can expect another order in the Spring.

Yours truly,  
CHARLES L. JONES.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 14, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Kind Sirs:—  
The trees which my friends and myself ordered of you on the 2nd arrived this afternoon and I wish to say that we are all more than pleased with the trees; they opened up far beyond our expectations. They were as fresh as when you packed them and we appreciate your prompt shipment so much, as we told you in our order that we would like to put them out by the 15th. My friend, Mr. Glover, said that his trees were larger and much nicer than trees he bought two years ago and paid 75 cents each for them. Many thanks for the extra trees. Others have told me today that they would order trees of you next fall. Wishing you good success in your business, I am,  
yours truly,  
PAUL H. MILES.

Glastonbury, Conn., June 7, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Dear Sirs:—  
Fruit trees ordered from you some time since were received in due time. Among them I found two Baldwin apples with compliments of Kelly Bros., for which please accept my thanks. It is a pleasure to report that every tree and vine are growing in spite of an abnormally dry season.

Very sincerely yours,  
FRANCIS A. FATE.

Des Moines, Ia., April 6, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
The trees arrived in excellent condition and am more than pleased with them. Thank you very much for the extras—I assure you such treatment will be remembered and I will send to you for all future orders.

Respectfully,  
MRS. F. A. CAMPBELL.

Norwich, Vt., May 3, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
I am aware that it is late to order trees but a friend told me today that he wanted some trees and I am going to send the order on the condition that it can be shipped at once. The trees I bought of you last year were as good as I ever saw and have done finely.

Respectfully,  
C. L. RUSSELL.

Forest City, Mo., April 23, 1915

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—  
The trees came in due time and in good condition. I am very much pleased with them and also with the ornamentals, and feel that I have got all that was coming to me on this deal. Thanking you for a square deal, I remain,  
Very respectfully,  
A. H. JEFFREY,  
High View Fruit Farm.





# Apple Trees



IT IS an established fact that of all fruits the apple is the most important. It has been rightly called the "King of Fruits." Unlike other fruits its period of ripening extends nearly throughout the year, and by judicious selection of varieties, an almost constant succession may be obtained. It is not a luxury, but a staple article of food, and the demand for good apples is increasing faster than the supply. Experienced and successful farmers and orchardists agree that there is more money in growing apples than in any other fruit, and that the orchard is the farm's greatest asset. If there is any kind of trees that we specialize in growing, it is the apple. We use the very best quality of imported French Apple Seedlings to propagate our apples on. We believe this to be of utmost importance in order that the trees may have a good foundation, be free from all disease and insure a healthy and permanent growth. We have discarded all varieties not profitable to the planter, and recommend the following varieties, giving a brief description of each.

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Apple Trees

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	3/4 and up	XXX	.30	\$2.50	\$17.50
Medium Size	2 Year	4 1/2 to 6 Feet	5/8 to 3/4	XX	.25	2.00	14.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	1/2 to 5/8	X	.20	1.50	10.00
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Feet and up		XXX	.25	2.00	14.00

5% discount on all cash orders received on or before October 20th. After that date 3% discount on all cash orders.

## Summer Varieties

**Early Harvest**—(Yellow Harvest.) Medium to large; pale yellow; beautiful; fine flavor. Tree moderate, erect grower, good bearer; excellent variety for both orchard and garden. Ripens in August.

**Yellow Transparent**—Tree upright, and a very early and abundant bearer. Fruit of good size; skin clear white, turning to a pale yellow; flavor acid and very good. Ripens from ten days to two weeks earlier than Early Harvest. One of the most popular market varieties. Ripens in August.

**Red Astrachan**—Tree hardy and good bearer. Fruit very handsome, large, round, nearly covered with deep crimson, overspread with thick bloom; juicy and good, though rather acid; one of the best of the summer varieties for cooking. The fruit usually sells for a good price in local market. Ripens in August.

**Sweet Bough**—Large, pale yellow; sweet, tender and juicy. Tree a compact grower and abundant bearer. August.

## Autumn Varieties

**Alexander**—An excellent apple for culinary use. Fruit large, firm, crisp, tender, juicy, mild sub-acid. Skin smooth, glossy, pale yellow to "orange yellow" entirely overspread with lively red stripes. Tree large, vigorous and hardy. Season September to November.

**Duchess of Oldenburg**—Vigorous growth; Russian; large; striped; tender, juicy, sub-acid; good; regular and abundant bearer. One of the hardiest kinds known. Ripens in Sept.

**Fall Pippin**—Very large; yellow, tender, juicy and rich. Tree a vigorous, free grower and fine bearer. An excellent baking apple. Ripens in October.

**Fameuse**—(Snow Apple.) Hardy, medium size; deep crimson; flesh is snowy white, tender, melting and delicious. Tree vigorous with dark wood; one of the finest dessert fruits, and valuable for market. Ripens in Nov.



TWO YEAR OLD APPLE TREES

XXX	XX	X
5 to 7 Feet	4 1/2 to 6 Feet	4 to 5 Feet
3/4 and up	5/8 to 3/4	1/2 to 5/8

Note the abundance of Fine Fibrous Roots

DEALING DIRECT WITH THE GROWER IS THE SURE WAY TO GET THE BEST STOCK AND SAVE MONEY





The Old Reliable Baldwin in Bearing

**Maiden's Blush**—Of uniformly large size, smooth, round, beautifully flushed with red on creamy yellow ground; flesh tender, of pleasant but not high flavor. A good market sort because of its attractiveness and the tree's heavy crops. Ripens in September.

**Pound Sweet** (Pumpkin Sweet)—A very large, round, yellow russet apple, very sweet and rich. Tree a vigorous, rapid, upright grower; valuable. Oct. and Nov.

**Wealthy**—This beautiful, moderate sized, brilliant red apple is of fine quality, one of the best of its season; it is a relatively good keeper and owing to the hardiness of the tree, its adaptability to cold climates, and early bearing habits, it can be profitably planted as a filler. Season Oct. to Jan.

**Gravenstein**—This is a large, handsome apple streaked and splashed with red over a strong yellow. The flesh is yellowish, firm, fine, crisp, tender, juicy and sub-acid. In quality it ranks very good to best. Sept. to Nov.

## Winter Varieties

**Baldwin**—What the Bartlett pear is to pears the Baldwin is to apples for the Eastern and Middle States. No variety yields larger crops or bears shipment better, or is more attractive in color, size and shape than the Baldwin. It is esteemed as an eating apple, and for cooking. For a commercial orchard it can be relied upon. Large, bright red, crisp, juicy and rich; tree vigorous, upright and productive. In New England, New York, Ontario and Michigan, this is one of the most popular and profitable sorts for table or market. Keeps until April.

**Ben Davis**—A popular apple in Southern New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio. Fruit is medium to large, of a bright, deep red color, or red striped over clear yellow. Has a thin, tough skin. The flesh is whitish, firm, juicy and sub-acid. It is one of the best keeping apples on the market today, lasting in cold storage until June or July.

## "You'll Never Regret Planting Kelly Trees"





## Winter Apples (Continued)

**Northern Spy**—This variety ranks about third in commercial importance with the fruit growers of Pennsylvania, New York and Ohio, being surpassed by Baldwin and R. I. Greening. Fruit is large and very attractive, being of bright red color with a delicious bloom; flesh is very juicy, crisp, tender and excellent for dessert or culinary uses. Its fine reputation brings high prices in the market and the fruit is always in demand. The fruit is ready for use in November or December; keeps well in cold storage until April, or if more carefully handled, until May.

**Stark**—Fruit fair, smooth, uniform and attractive. Large, striped, mild, sub-acid. Valuable as a keeper. A good variety for the commercial orchard because the tree is thrifty, hardy, healthy, a reliable cropper and very productive. Jan. to May.

**Grimes' Golden**—Vigorous grower; large; golden yellow; juicy, sprightly sub-acid; very good. Keeps until April.

**Gano**—Similar but superior to Ben Davis. It has all the good qualities in a higher degree, more brilliant coloring, runs more even in size, and keeps fully as late. The tree is vigorous and hardy; is a rapid grower; bears while young. Color bright red without stripes or blotches, and large and even in size. Keeps until March.

**Jonathan**—A beautiful red apple, highly flavored and of excellent quality, being tender, juicy, spicy, and rich—a splendid family sort and highly profitable for market. Tree long-lived, productive, and an early bearer. Nov. to Apr.

**King**—(King of Tompkins Co.) One of the largest red winter apples. It is of extraordinary size, beautiful in color, attractive, and always brings the highest market price. Its size, beauty and good flavor make it in great demand. Nov. to March.

**McIntosh Red**—Medium size, nearly covered with dark red. Flesh white, fine, very tender, juicy and refreshing with attractive quince-like flavor. A good annual bearer. A very hardy variety, fruit of which is very attractive in appearance, of deep red color, good size, the flesh very tender and delicious. It is especially desirable for fancy trade. It comes into bearing young, yielding large crops of good fruit almost annually.

**Pewaukee**—Tree spreading, round topped and vigorous. Fruit large, yellowish green, striped and shaded with dull red, overlaid with

a bluish bloom. Flesh yellowish, rather coarse grained, firm, juicy; flavor sub-acid. Keeps until March.

**Mammoth Black Twig**—The tree is a strong grower, a regular and abundant bearer. A good winter apple. Deep red; sub-acid, very high flavored. Keeps until late Spring.

**Northwestern Greening**—Tree a splendid, vigorous grower, quite hardy. Fruit large to very large; green, becoming yellowish green when ripe; flesh yellow, fine grained and firm; flavor a good sub-acid; very smooth and attractive; should be given plenty of room in the orchard to secure large, even fruit. Keeps until March.

**Spitzenburg**—(Esopus.) Medium to large; deep red, high flavored; valuable for commercial purposes. November to April.

**Tolman Sweet**—Medium, pale yellow, slightly tinged with red; firm, rich and very sweet; the most valuable baking apple; vigorous, hardy and productive. Keeps until April.

**York Imperial**—This is a fine, hardy, large red, winter apple. It succeeds over a wide range of country. It comes into bearing at four years from planting, bears regularly and heavily. The foliage and fruit are remarkably free from scab. The fruit is of medium size, skin yellow and almost wholly covered with two shades of red, the darker one disposed in distinct stripes. Good shipper, bringing highest prices.

**Hubbardston** (Nonesuch)—Free growth; large striped red and yellow; tender, juicy, rich, slightly sub-acid; very good. Keeps until January.



Northern Spy Apple

ONE ORDER IS ALL WE ASK. OUR GOODS WILL TAKE CARE OF THE FUTURE





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## Winter Apples (Continued)

**Paragon**—Late keeper, large of good color and quality, very productive. Dec. to May.

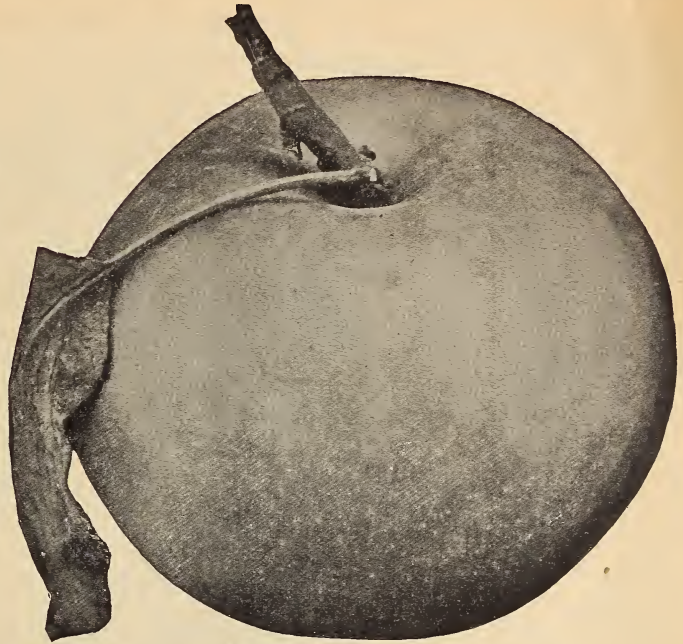
**Wagener**—(Red Winter Apple.) Wagener is one of the most beautiful winter apples ever grown. It is of the highest quality, the flesh being crisp, tender and aromatic. We know of no apple possessing greater beauty or of finer quality than the Wagener. It succeeds well East and West. Dec. to May.

**Rhode Island Greening**—This large and superior winter apple is famous over a large extent of country, and is more highly prized for cooking and eating than any other variety. It is a good keeper but will keep better if picked early. This Greening is a beautiful yellow color when ripe, and is a most abundant yielder. March to April.

**Stayman's Wine Sap**—Tree vigorous, hardy, spreading. An early bearer and very productive; fruit medium size, round, approaching conic; skin smooth, greenish yellow, splashed and striped with red and purple; flesh yellow, firm, tender, juicy, rich, sub-acid, aromatic, quality best. Splendid late keeper.

**Wolf River**—Fruit is very large, some specimens weighing 27 ounces, flattened, conical, highly colored. An excellent cooking apple. Sept. to Dec.

**Smokehouse**—A very pleasant flavored dessert apple. Tree a vigorous grower; healthy,



**Rhode Island Greening**

hardy and reliable cropper. Fruit of medium to large, uniform size and shape. Color yellow or greenish, mottled with rather dark red, sometimes deepening to a solid bright red. Oct. to Mar.

**Seek-No-Further**—Medium to large; dull red color; flesh crisp, tender and juicy. November to February.

**Yellow Belleflower**—Season, winter. A hardy apple of large size, a beautiful golden color, often with red blush; conical in shape.



Block of 250,000 Apple Trees Growing in Our Nurseries

OUR APPLE TREES ARE EXCEPTIONAL VALUES AT THE PRICES QUOTED





## Winter Apples (Continued)

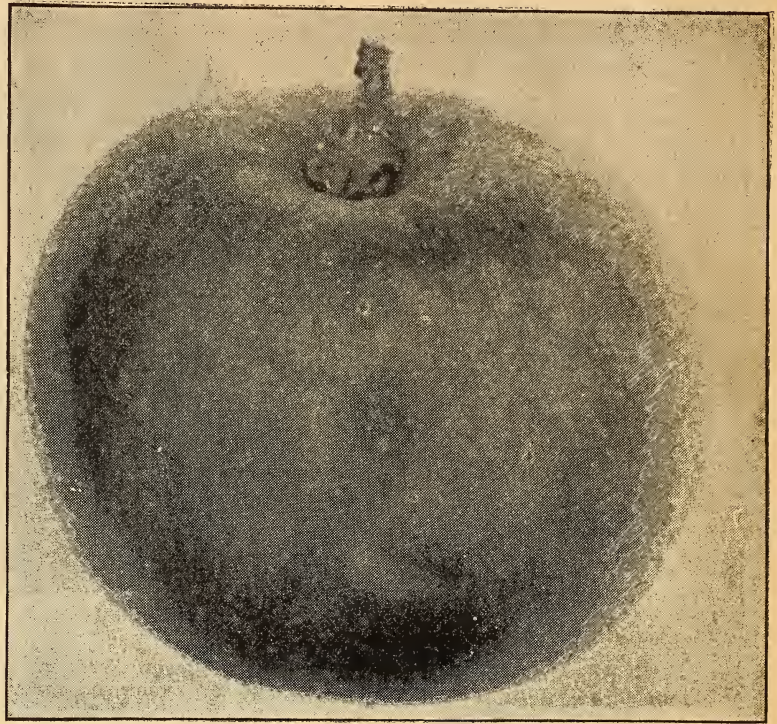
**Golden Russet**—Vigorous growth; medium; russet; crisp, juicy, mild sub-acid; hardy; very good; long keeper. Nov. to Apr.

**Twenty Ounce**—Very large, yellow striped, red, fine quality apple; good keeper. Tree vigorous grower, productive. Oct. to Jan.

**Rambo**—Medium, flat streaked red and yellow; very tender, juicy and fine flavored. Tree an upright grower, hardy and productive. Oct. to Dec.

**Rome Beauty**—Keeps in good condition till May and June. Large, round, mottled and striped in different shades of red; flavor and quality away above the average; appearance and size are its valuable points; always sells and always brings good prices. With an established reputation due to real merit, Rome Beauty is a variety Eastern orchardists should plant largely. Good grower, blooms late, bears heavily every year, is adapted to a wide range of soils, elevations and conditions. In Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York and West Virginia will make more money than some of the sorts which are now a large part of the total number of trees in commercial orchards. Reliability, due to being frost-proof, strong-growing and sure bearing make it a favorite with the grower. Fine quality for use and for handling make it popular with consumers and dealers. When packed in boxes shows up splendidly.

**Sutton Beauty**—Medium to large; roundish; handsome, waxen yellow, striped crimson; flesh tender, juicy, sub-acid; good quality; keeps well. The tree is a free grower and very productive. Keeps until February.



Rome Beauty Apple

**Winter Banana**—An excellent variety, which has stood the severest tests. Tree is hardy and will succeed in very cold climates; its wonderful productiveness will bring quicker and larger returns than any other apple in the orchard. The fruit has a richness of flavor that cannot be described. Flesh golden yellow, fine grained, firm and juicy. Keeps until January

**Bismarck**—An attractive apple, making a record for hardiness and fruiting at a very early age; the fruit is of large size, specimens have been grown weighing nearly two pounds each; fruit golden yellow splashed with red; flesh tender.

### TREES HEALTHY AND STRONG

The Kelly Brothers have been growing trees for 27 years and all that time they have grown the stock they offered for sale, and they have been so determined to put out nothing but the best trees, healthy and strong, true to name and free from San Jose scale, that they have succeeded in establishing a reputation for honesty and square dealing all over the United States among the firms and individuals they have dealt with.

Their trees are grown in the Genesee valley, the best locality in the world for raising nursery stock, they have a large frost-proof brick packing house, and they will give the closest attention to orders whether large or small. They believe this of benefit to both fruit-grower and themselves, and it is quite certain if testimonials as to their reliability and promptness of attention to orders are required they can be secured from every business man and every reputable citizen in Dansville.

The Kelly Brothers offer the best trees that can be grown, they are true to name, and a fair price has been put on them so that a purchaser will know when he makes a purchase that he will get what he wants and at a moderate price.—*Dansville Express, Sept. 26, 1912.*

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# Direct from Grower to Planter



## Winter Apples—(Con.)

### **Old Winesap**—Winter.

Fine keeper; medium size, oblong, smooth, and a fine dark red; flesh yellow, crisp, tender, very juicy, aromatic, firm and good. Tree a strong grower, root-growth exceptionally strong; it comes into bearing early and is remarkable for its regular and abundant crops. One of the very best sorts for lower elevations anywhere south of Pennsylvania, from tide-water to 1,000 feet in Maryland, and to corresponding elevations south of Maryland. One of the sorts you must not overlook for these sections. When grown properly and packed in an attractive manner, it brings the highest prices in the fancy market.

**Fallawater** — Very large, yellow with dull red cheek, juicy, crisp, pleasant, sub-acid, very productive. Dec. to Apr.



**Baldwin Apple**



**Delicious Apple**

**Delicious**—A remarkable variety introduced in the West several years ago where it is being largely planted and rapidly taking first rank both for commercial and home orchards. No new variety has ever so quickly gained popularity in so many different apple sections of our country. Fruit large, nearly covered with brilliant dark red, flesh fine grained, crisp and melting, juicy with a delightful aroma; of very highest quality. A splendid keeper and shipper. Tree one of the hardiest, a vigorous grower, with good foliage. A regular annual bearer.

Massachusetts Agricultural College,  
Amherst, Mass., Sept. 24, 1914.  
Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—I have just been looking over your catalog and I am especially interested in the guarantee which you give. It seems to me this is the only satisfactory way to look at the matter, and it is surprising that some firm has not had enterprise and honesty enough before to do it. I certainly want to congratulate you and hope it will result in your getting lots of trade. Yours very truly,  
F. C. SEARS,  
Professor Mass. Agricultural College

**MIDDLEMEN ADD TO THE COST BUT NOT TO THE QUALITY OF NURSERY STOCK**



# Crab Apples

Besides producing much sought after fruit the Crab Apple tree is excellent for ornamental purposes. It will grow in any kind of soil and will bear every year. The Crab Apple is a prime favorite with the housewife for jellies and preserves. Many people prefer it to any other fruit for that purpose. We have the following varieties and offer them at the same price as the standard apples.

**Transcendent**—The best of all Crab-apples; good size, skin yellow striped with red—fine for preserves and jellies. Tree vigorous grower. Ripens in September.

**Whitney**—Large, averaging 1½ to 2 inches in diameter; skin smooth, glossy green, striped,

splashed with carmine; flesh firm, juicy and rich. Vigorous, handsome.

**Hyslop**—Almost as large as Early Strawberry Apple; deep crimson; very popular on account of its large size, beauty and hardness. Keeps well into the Winter.

# Bearing Size Apple Trees

In addition to the sizes of Apples on which we have quoted, we have a few thousand large size bearing trees of the following varieties:

Baldwin, Wealthy, King, Winter Banana, Northern Spy, R. I. Greening, Wolf River, Pewaukee, Gano, N. W. Greening, York Imperial.

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Bearing Size Apple Trees

Extra Size	3 Year	7 to 8 Feet	1 to 1½ inch	XXXX	EACH	TEN
					.35	\$3.00

# Dwarf Apple Trees

The dwarf Apple trees come into bearing much earlier than the Standard trees. Their low, broad heads are within reach so that the fruit can be easily picked. These trees take up so little room that they can be planted in the garden, or even on the lawn, and with care will bear good crops within three or four years. The fruit is of extra high quality. Dwarf trees are secured by propagating on French Imported Paradise stock. The dwarf trees seem to put their strength into the fruit instead of the wood. We have the following list of best varieties of Dwarf Apples to offer:

Yellow Transparent, McIntosh Red, Delicious, Fameuse, Red Astrachan, Stayman's Winesap, Duchess of Oldenburg, Northern Spy, Grimes Golden and Maiden Blush.



Delicious Dwarf Apple

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Dwarf Apple Trees

Largest Size	2 Year	3½ to 5 Feet	¾ and up	XXX	EACH	TEN
Medium Size	2 Year	3 to 4 Feet	½ to ¾	XX	.35	\$3.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	2 to 3 Feet	¾ to ½	X	.30	2.50
					.25	2.00

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# Direct from Grower to Planter



## Peach Trees



FOR MANY YEARS it was the popular opinion that peaches would thrive in only certain sections of the country. We know better now. With one or two exceptions it has been shown that this fruit can be grown at a good profit in every state in the Union. Peaches can be grown on any soil that will produce the average yield of farm crops and are especially adapted to the lighter soils. Careful cultivation and intelligent pruning will work wonders in the production of peaches. If properly cared for, the trees are sure to bring in a handsome return on your investment. As in other fruits it is imperative, however, that your trees are of the best stock. It is very important that wood growth on peach trees is well ripened and that they have a good and sufficient quantity of fibrous roots, so they will withstand the hot sun and drought that may occur after planting. We have a very good stock of hardy trees, with well ripened wood and an excellent root system, and we make the lowest possible price consistent with the quality of the stock.

### Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Peach Trees

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	1 Year	4½ ft. and up	$\frac{9}{16}$ and up	XXX	.20	\$1.50	\$12.00
Medium Size	1 Year	3½ to 4 Feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$	XX	.15	1.25	9.00
Smaller Size	1 Year	2½ to 3½ Feet	$\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{7}{16}$	X	.10	1.00	6.00

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**Beers' Smock**—Medium to large, round; creamy-white with dark red blush; flesh yellow. tender and rich; good quality; a good commercial peach

**Carman**—Middle to end of July. Fruit large and broad, oval shaped, yellowish white; flesh creamy white with red tinge, flavor spicy and good. Especially suited to low, wet land, where other sorts will not thrive. Very hardy, and productive every year. A good shipper; quite satisfactory in commercial orchards. Freestone.

**Salway**—Large; deep yellow, red cheek. Flesh yellow, juicy. Oct.

**Gold Drop**—Large, good quality, hardy; a profitable market sort; follows Late Crawford.

**Greensboro**—Large, beautifully colored, bright red over yellow; flesh white; good quality, good commercial sort. July.

**Niagara**—Large, yellow and red; fine quality; as good as Crawford and a more dependable bearer. Very extensively grown in Western New York. Follows Early Crawford.

**Yellow St. John**—A desirable peach for home use and profitable for market; orange-yellow, with dark, rich red on sun-exposed side; quality good. Tree strong and vigorous. One week earlier than Early Crawford.



BLOCK OF ONE YEAR PEACH TREES

Picture taken in our nursery July, 1915. Trees have about 3 months to grow before they are mature



Peaches (Continued)

**Chair's Choice**—Deep yellow, red cheek; firm; a few days earlier than Smock.

**Crawford's Early**—A large, yellow peach of splendid quality; strong grower and prolific fruiter. No other variety has been so extensively planted.

**Crawford's Late**—Superb yellow peach of large size and excellent quality; great bearer. One of the finest late varieties.

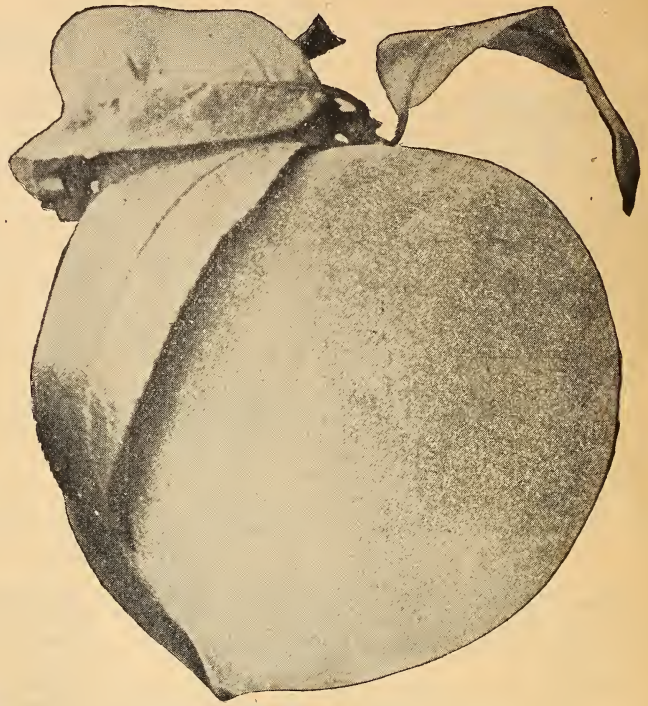
**Elberta**—Unsurpassed as a valuable, large, beautiful peach of good quality. The best orchard variety. Valuable for planting in garden.

Elberta is hardier in bud than many varieties, therefore a uniform cropper. Fruit is large, yellow, with red cheek, juicy and high flavored, flesh yellow; freestone. Season medium early, following quick upon Early Crawford.

**Crosby**—This is considered the best variety introduced for years, and is being extensively planted through New England where hardiness is essential. Tree low and spreading. Fruit of medium size, roundish slightly flattened, with a distinct seam on the blossom end. Not so acid as most yellow peaches.

**Champion**—First of August. Fruit large, creamy white, with red cheek; sweet, juicy, very high quality, and splendid. Good shipper. Its fault, if anything, is that it is too tender. Hardy and productive. Free.

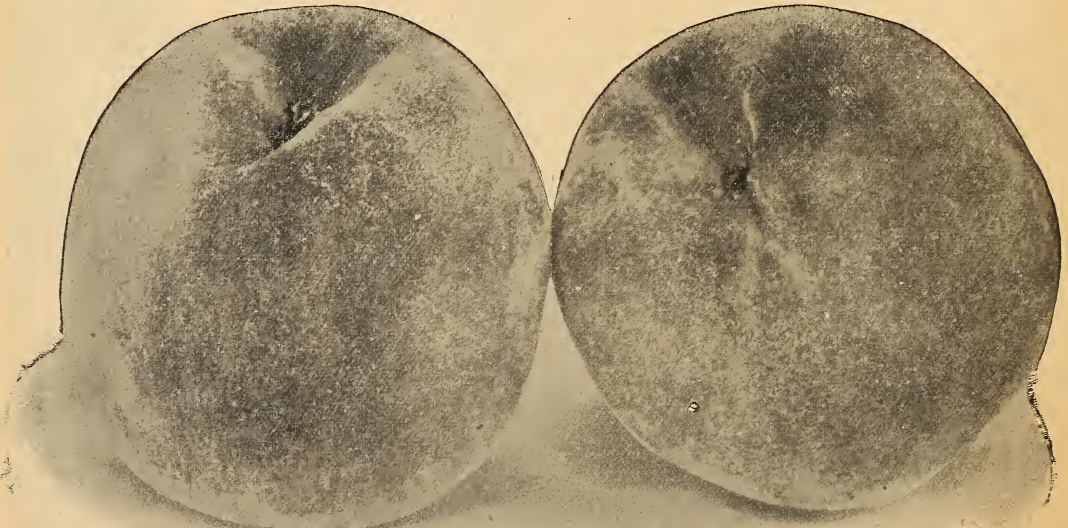
**Foster**—This variety originated near Boston, Mass., and its popularity has spread over many States. The tree is productive. The fruit is large deep red, especially on the sunny side. The flesh is yellow and very rich and juicy. It has a sub-acid flavor which is very agreeable. It ripens in September and is freestone.



Elberta

**Fitzgerald**—Originated in Canada, Fully equal to Crawford's Early in size, quality and color, with a much smaller pit; a very early bearer, often when two years from bud; extra hardy succeeding in Canada and in Michigan perfectly; fruit large, brilliant yellow with red cheek; highest quality; ripens after Crawford's Early. Freestone.

**Hill's Chili**—Hardy, vigorous and productive; of a medium size; oval, with a slight suture; deep yellow, shaded with dark red; flesh deep yellow, red at the stone; freestone.



Early Crawford Peaches





# Direct from Grower to Planter



Peaches—(Continued)



A Picture of One of Our Fine Blocks of Peach Trees

**Hiley**—Large white with high color on sunny side; long keeper and good shipper. Freestone, hardy in fruit bud.

**Kalamazoo**—Large yellow, with mottled blush; sweet and mild; very productive; a good commercial sort.

**Early Rivers**—Large light straw color, with delicate pink cheek; flesh juicy and melting, with very rich flavor. Early August.

**Wager**—Medium, yellow, good quality. Tree hardy and productive. A profitable late variety. Last of Sept.

**Belle of Georgia**—First half of August. Fruit very large and most attractive in color and shape, with a light red cheek; flesh white, firm, delicious—in all ways the quality is fine. Trees grow quick in shapely form and are very strong. Hardy, prolific. Free.

**Triumph**—Earliest yellow-flesh peach, with good eating and shipping qualities, sure and abundant bearer; strong, vigorous grower. First of Aug.

**Stump** (or Stump the World)—Very large, roundish. The skin is white with a bright red cheek. The flesh is white, juicy and good. The tree is vigorous and productive. Ripens near the end of September and is freestone.

**Engle's Mammoth**—Fruit large; skin yellow, red cheek; flesh yellow, sweet, juicy; stone small; freestone.

**Mountain Rose**—Medium to large; roundish; whitish, nearly covered with a pretty red; flesh white, juicy, sweet and somewhat vinous. Vigorous and productive. First of Aug.

**Wonderful**—Not unlike Smock in appearance. Freestone; large, globular; rich golden yellow, partly covered with red; flesh yellow, rich, firm and high-flavored. Productive. Last of Sept.

**Reeves Favorite**—This is a hardy and productive variety. The flesh is deep yellow and very juicy and melting. The fruit is a great favorite in all parts of the country and makes a ready sale on the market. This is a freestone variety.

**Ray**—Of good size and has a most attractive red blush of delicate shade. Flesh white, firm and of most excellent quality. Keeps well. A good shipper of fine appearance even after much handling. Trees strong growers, shapely and symmetrical. Old peach orchardists would be surprised to see how quickly they attain good size. A regular bearer of big crops. Ripens Aug. 10th to 25th.

## IMPORTANT TO HAVE GOOD ROOT SYSTEM

If there is any one class of fruit trees that receives special attention at Kelly Brothers' Nurseries, it is Peach trees. We exercise the greatest care to have our varieties strictly true to name and by our method of cultivation we get a moderate healthy limb growth and with our climate here get a shorter tree but much more hardy, prepared to withstand the severe weather of the winter.

No matter where you buy Peach trees you cannot get better ones than you will get from Kelly Brothers. We wish every customer or interested person would come to our nursery, and see our clean, healthy, beautiful trees. We have never been troubled with Peach Yellows or San Jose scale in this vicinity.

We wish to impress upon our customers the importance of getting Peach trees with sufficient root system to start with. This is one of the most important points to be considered in planting a Peach Orchard. We do not recommend the planting of large Peach trees. Greater success has been attained by the fruit grower in planting medium or small sized trees.

READ WHAT PROF. F. C. SEARS SAYS ON PAGE 11 OF OUR BROAD GUARANTEE



# Cherry Trees



A Bearing Orchard of Large Montmorency in Full Bloom



IN THESE days of apparent specialized fruit growing cherries seem to have been neglected. Yet it is safe to say that no fruit will find a more ready market or bring in a larger return on the money invested. The fact that cherry trees can be used for ornamental as well as productive purposes greatly increases their possibilities on the market. Any well-drained soil will be found to be adapted to the sturdy growth of cherry trees. Our cherries are all budded on imported French stocks and these form a fibrous root which reduces considerably the loss in planting. We believe that no fruit will bring greater profits, as the cherry will bear a fair crop two or three years after planting and requires very little care and attention. We have a good assortment of varieties but would especially recommend the Large Montmorency for commercial planting as it bears enormous crops and the canning factories pay a higher price for it than they do for any other sour variety.

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Cherry Trees

### SOUR CHERRIES

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	¾ and up	XXX	.35	\$3.00	\$25.00
Medium Size	2 Year	4½ to 6 Feet	⅝ to ¾	XX	.30	2.50	20.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	½ to ⅝	X	.25	2.00	15.00
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Ft. and up		XXX	.30	2.50	20.00

### SWEET CHERRIES

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	¾ and up	XXX	.35	\$3.25	\$28.50
Medium Size	2 Year	4½ to 6 Feet	⅝ to ¾	XX	.30	2.75	24.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	½ to ⅝	X	.25	2.25	17.50
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Ft. and up		XXX	.30	2.75	24.00

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### Sweet Cherries

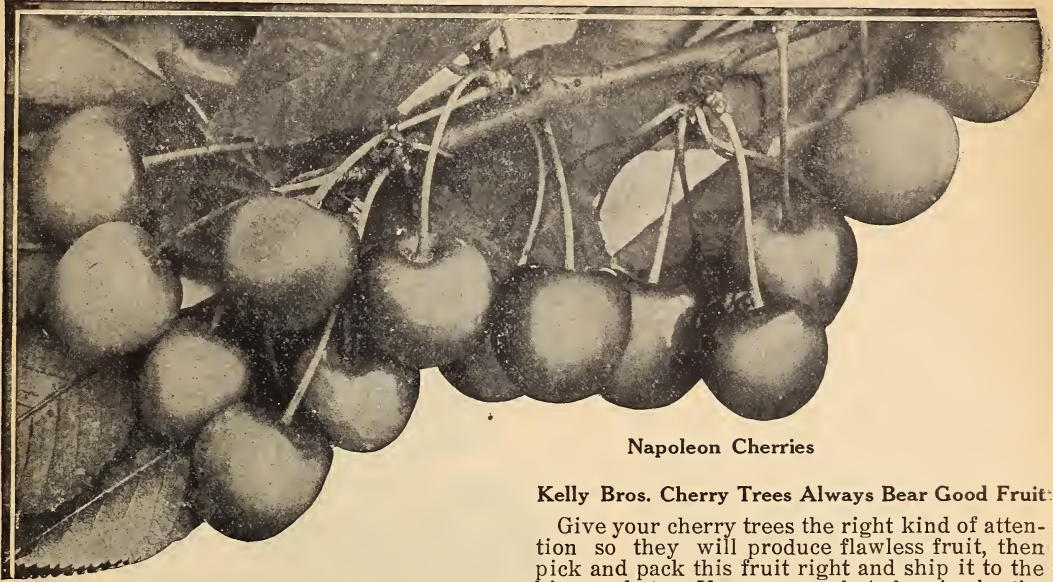
**Lambert**—One of the largest of all Cherries. It is purple-red; firm and rich. Every year sees an enormous crop, and the tree not only grows well, but is a proof against insect and fungous attacks. The finest of shippers.

**Black Tartarian**—Very large; bright purplish black; half tender; juicy, very rich. Tree a remarkably vigorous and erect grower, and an immense bearer. One of the most popular varieties in all parts of the country. June.

**"You'll Never Regret Planting Kelly Trees"**



Cherries—(Continued)



Napoleon Cherries

**Bing**—One of the most delicious Sweet Cherries grown. Tree very hardy and vigorous with heavy foliage. It succeeds in the East better than most sweet varieties. Fruit is large, dark brown or black and very fine quality. Bing is a good shipper and should be planted with Lambert for commercial purposes.

**Yellow Spanish**—A pale yellow cherry with bright red cheek in the sun. It is one of the best, most beautiful and popular of all of the light colored cherries; vigorous and productive.

**Windsor**—Tree upright, vigorous and a rapid grower; fruit large, roundish, oblong; very firm and juicy; flesh pinkish and sometimes streaked; quality very good; a productive bearer; has attracted attention owing to its large size and dark color; almost black. July.

**Schmidt's Biggareau**—The fruit is of very large size, of a deep mahogany color. The flesh is dark, tender, very juicy, with a fine rich flavor. Fruit grows in clusters. It is an excellent shipper. July.

**Governor Wood**—Large, heart-shaped; light yellow, marbled light red, juicy, sweet and rich. Tree vigorous, productive; forms a round head. An old variety that is still a favorite in many regions.

**Napoleon or Royal Ann**—A beautiful cherry of large size; pale yellow with bright red cheek; flesh firm, juicy and sweet; one of the best for market and canning.

### THE FINEST EVER PURCHASED

Brattleboro, Vt., April 30, 1913

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—Trees arrived and much to my surprise were in fine condition. While I have purchased over two thousand trees, your trees are the finest I have ever had. They have the appearance of being very thrifty now.

Your very truly,

H. R. BROWN.

### Kelly Bros. Cherry Trees Always Bear Good Fruit:

Give your cherry trees the right kind of attention so they will produce flawless fruit, then pick and pack this fruit right and ship it to the big markets. You can market cherries by the car load better than in less quantity. From 30 to 50 trees will produce a car load of fruit. Do not hesitate to plant the trees because you fear there will be no market for them; the market is waiting and will be very willing as soon as you have the cherries. The people who are used to the little inferior fruit never stop looking when they see cherries of improved varieties. Proper cultivation has a good deal to do with making the trees produce the finest fruit.



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Note the Excellent Root System of Our Different Grades of Cherry Trees

**BUY KELLY TREES OF QUALITY AT LOW PRICES**





## Cherries—(Continued)

### SOUR CHERRIES

**Early Richmond**—One of the most valuable and popular cherries unsurpassed for cooking purposes. It is the good old variety that yields such marvelous crops in the gardens. The most hardy of all varieties, uninjured by the coldest winters. Tree slender in growth, with a roundish spreading head, exceedingly productive. Ripens through June. The cherry tree bears almost every year, and is an easy fruiter.

**May Duke**—This is one of the good old standbys which has been so popular for many years in the past, both in the East and West, where it has been largely planted and where it has rewarded the planter by large crops of profitable fruit. The color of this cherry gradually changes from a bright red to nearly black when fully ripe. The flesh is red, becoming dark purple later; is very juicy and melting, rich, acid and of superior quality. It must remain on the tree until fully ripe in order to develop its best character. Season very early. The tree is very hardy and adapted to all localities.

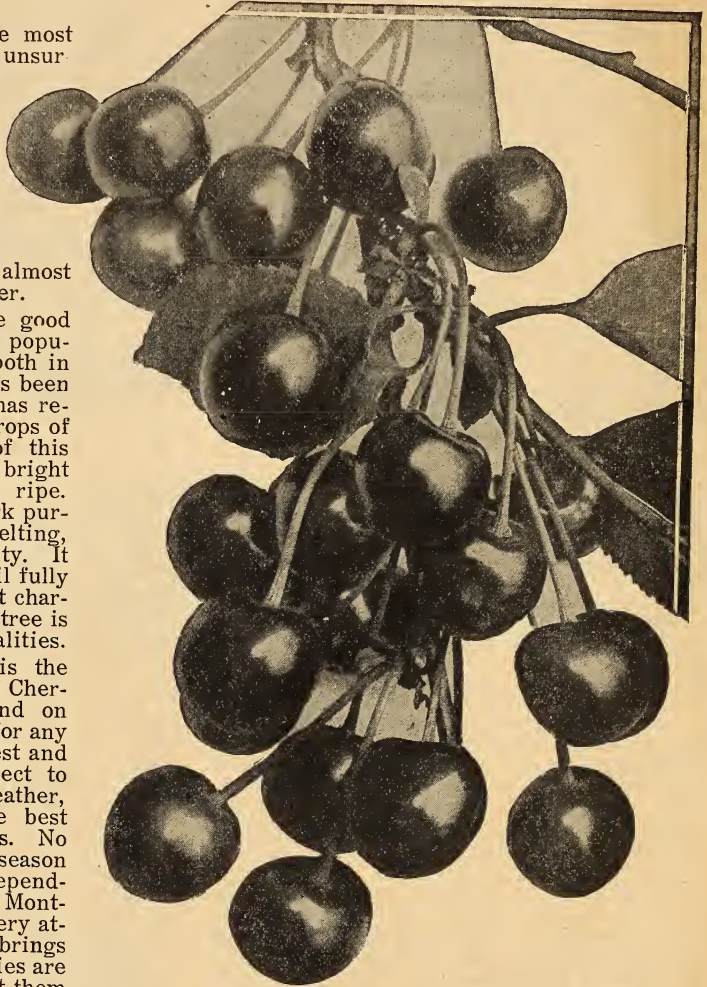
**Large Montmorency**—This is the best of all the sour varieties of Cherries. There is a greater demand on the market for this Cherry than for any other. The trees are the cleanest and best growers and are less subject to disease, less affected by wet weather, and are the best bearers of the best fruit of all other sour varieties. No matter how unfavorable the season may be, Montmorency can be depended upon for a full crop. The Montmorency is a good shipper, very attractive looking and always brings good prices. The canning factories are always calling for them and want them by the hundreds of tons. The fruit is good-sized, fine flavored and bright clear red. The flesh is of fine quality and sub-acid. Fruit ripens 10 days after Early Richmond.

**Dyehouse**—A hardy and valuable cherry. Unquestionably the earliest cherry, ten days earlier than Richmond, fine quality, its early bearing remarkable as its great hardiness. Has the appearance of being covered with a scarlet cloth such is the abundance of the fruit. Has the smallest pit of any cherry known; a splendid keeper and free from knots. For tarts, pies and especially for canning, it has no superiors among cherries. June.

**Ostheim**—Large; skin red, dark at maturity; flesh liver-colored; tender, juicy, almost sweet; very good; hardy.

**Wragg**—Large, roundish, heart-shaped dark crimson and when fully ripe, black or nearly so; flesh and juice light crimson, firm and good, very productive; one of the hardiest and is usually a sure cropper.

**English Morello**—Fruit large elongated; almost blackish red when fully ripe; very rich, acid; juicy and good. A splendid pie cherry.



Large Montmorency Cherries

Tree very hardy somewhat smaller than other sorts but exceedingly productive. This fruit is in great demand by the fruit-juice manufacturers. July.

**Olivet**—A tree of this variety should be in every garden. The fruit is very large, has a shining deep red color; tender, mild sub-acid flavor. Ripens in June.

### Never Saw Better Cherry Trees

Brockport, N. Y., April 28, 1913

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—I received the cherry trees. They surely are fine. I never saw better trees in my life. Furthermore, I thank you very much for the nut trees and extra cherry trees. Next year I hope to give you a larger order.

Yours truly,

EDWARD R. BOOTH.

NOTE OUR SPECIAL DISCOUNT ON ORDERS RECEIVED BEFORE OCTOBER 20



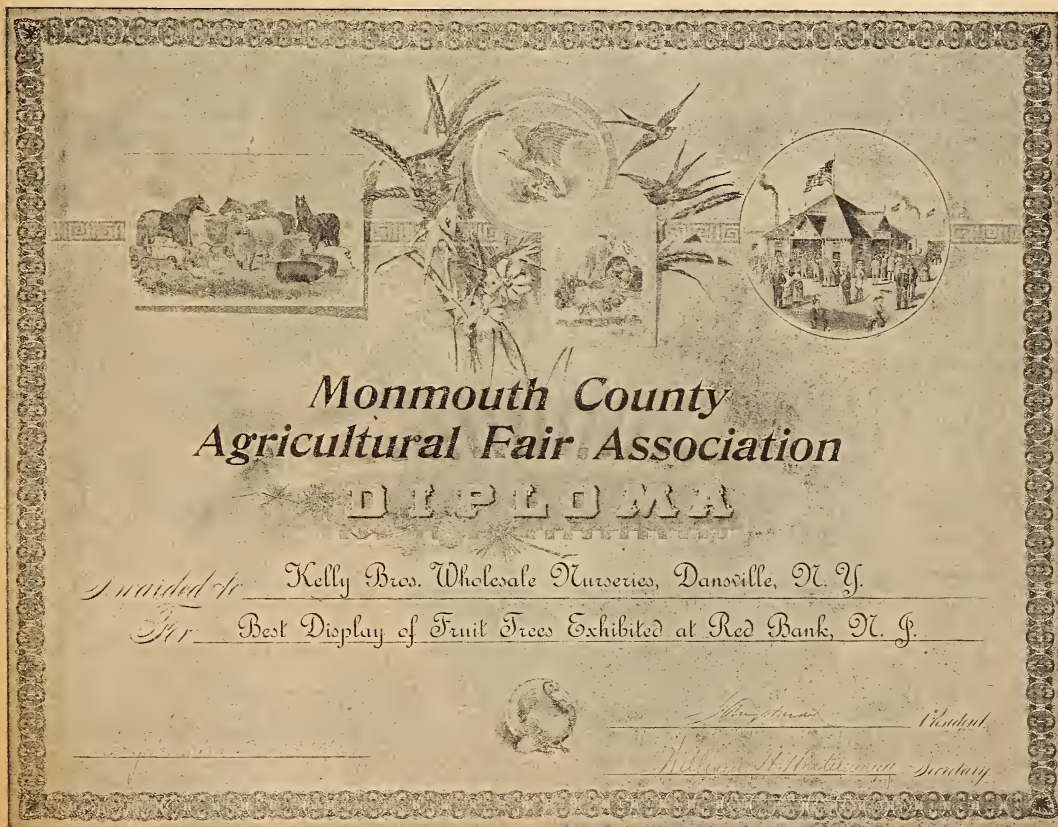
# Cherry Trees Budded on Mazzard Roots

The Cherry Trees listed in the preceding pages are all budded on the best imported French Seedlings. Some planters prefer Cherry Trees budded on Mazzard roots, and we are pleased to state that we can supply these in all the leading varieties, and at the following prices:

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Cherries Budded on Mazzard Roots

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	$\frac{3}{4}$ and up	XXX	.45	\$4.00	\$35.00
Medium Size	2 Year	4½ to 6 Feet	$\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$	XX	.40	3.50	30.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$	X	.35	3.00	25.00
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Feet and up		XXX	.40	3.50	30.00

Our nursery stock has the reputation of being the **BEST** that can be grown, and it is our aim to keep it up to the standard in every way. **THE BEST IS ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST.** It is not what you pay, but what you get, that makes the bargain. Every purchase will prove to you the value of buying stock from us.



The above Diploma was awarded to Kelly Bros. Wholesale Nurseries by the Monmouth Co. Agricultural Association of New Jersey for the finest and best specimens of Fruit Trees exhibited at Red Bank, N. J., Sept. 3d and 4th, 1914.



# Pear Trees

**T**HE value of this fruit is just beginning to be appreciated and its cultivation is extending. Compared with apples, there are few really fine pears on the market. If growers would specialize in this fruit they would be well repaid for their efforts, as high prices are always obtainable for choice pears. Our pears are all budded on imported French stock which gives them the finest root system. We recommend the following varieties:

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Pear Trees

				(Except as noted)		EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	¾ and up	XXX	.35	\$3.00	\$22.50	
Medium Size	2 Year	4½ to 6 Feet	⅝ to ¾	XX	.30	2.50	17.50	
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	½ to ⅝	X	.25	2.00	12.50	
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Feet and up		XXX	.30	2.50	17.50	

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**Bartlett**—Rich golden-yellow when ripe, often with a soft blush; large, thin-skinned; buttery and melting, with a rich musky flavor. Tree a strong grower, bears young and abundantly, but requires careful cultivation to bring it up to its highest excellence. Probably more highly esteemed for canning and shipping than any other. Succeeds best as standard, but does well as dwarf. An old favorite. When planting orchards of standard Bartlett, it is recommended that dwarf Bartlett or dwarf Anjou be used for fillers, since it greatly increases the profit. In planting dwarf pears, they should be set into the ground deeper than the standard trees, the union should be 4 to 5 inches below the surface.

**Clapp's Favorite**—Large fine; pale lemon-yellow, with brown dots; fine texture, melting, buttery, juicy, with a rich, sweet, delicate, vinous flavor. Tree hardy and very productive. Thrives where other varieties fail.

**Wildor**—Medium to small, greenish yellow with a brownish red cheek; melting, sweet and very pleasant; vigorous grower; good bearer.

**Howell**—Above medium, roundish, pyriform; pale yellow, with mostly a bright red cheek and russet dots; flesh whitish, melting, juicy, with brisk, vinous flavor. Sept. and Oct.

**Anjou**—This is one of the best known, most popular and profitable late pear. The tree is a vigorous grower, hardy and prolific. The pears are of large size, green in color, but often yellowing when thor-

oughly ripe. They are very juicy and luscious and of the best quality. For late fall and very early winter use, we have no better variety. Oct. to Jan.

**Duchess D' Angouleme**—A most dependable cropper, often fruiting the first season after planting. Fruit large, frequently weighing a pound. A dull greenish yellow, spotted russet, flesh white, rich and good quality. An all around profitable market pear. Oct. and Nov.

**Sheldon**—A large, round, russet and red pear of very rich fine quality, melting, and delicious. Tree vigorous, bears well. Oct.

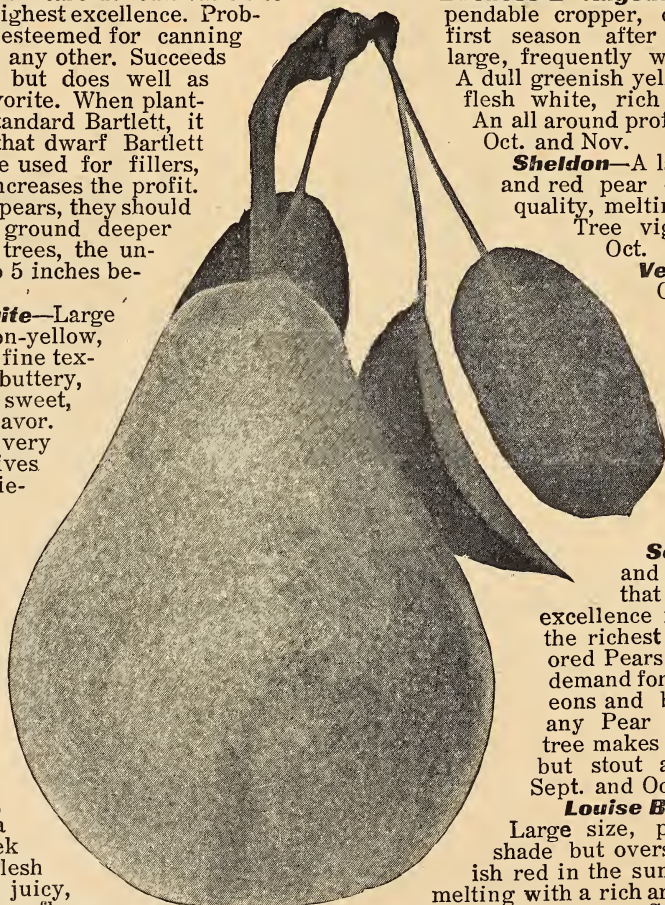
**Vermont Beauty**—Of medium size, roundish, yellow, heavily shaded with carmine; flesh exceedingly fine, sweet and juicy. The tree makes a strong, healthy growth and bears good crops. October.

**Seckel**—A beautiful and delicious little Pear that is the standard of excellence in its class. One of the richest and highest flavored Pears known, always in demand for desserts and luncheons and better known than any Pear of its class. The tree makes a somewhat slow but stout and erect growth. Sept. and Oct.

**Louise Bonne de Jersey**—Large size, pale green in the shade but overspread with brownish red in the sun; very juicy and melting with a rich and excellent flavor. Good commercial sort. Sept. to Oct.

Richview, Ill., Nov. 21, 1914

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen: I received the 500 Kieffer Pears, 2 Year, XXX, ordered from you. Trees were fine. You will hear from us again when we are in need of trees.  
Respectfully Yours,  
C. P. COOPER & SONS



Bartlett

A CAREFUL STUDY OF OUR NURSERY STOCK AND PRICES WILL INTEREST YOU





Pears—(Continued)



Clapp's Favorite Pear

**Worden-Seckel**—This beautiful and delicious pear attracted wide attention when introduced recently. In quality it is rated very high. In size it is much larger than Seckel. It is shaped like Bartlett but is not as large. A tree of this beautiful pear is an object of beauty on the home ground when laden with beautiful specimens. Oct.

**Flemish Beauty**—This fine old pear is still one of the hardiest and most generally successful over a wide range of country, producing good crops annually of large, handsome fruit that is exceptionally good in quality. Sept and Oct.

**Garber**—One of the Japan Hybrids; larger than Kieffer; hardy, productive, early bearer; excellent for canning. September and October.

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STATE OF NEW YORK

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### *Certificate of Inspection of Nursery Stock*

This is to certify that the stock in the nursery of Kelly Bros., of Dansville, County of Livingston, State of New York, was duly examined in compliance with the provisions of Section 305 of the Agricultural Law, and was found to be apparently free from any contagious or infectious disease or diseases, or the San Jose scale, or other dangerously injurious insect pest or pests. This certificate expires Sept. 1, 1916.

Dated, Albany, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1915.

CHARLES S. WILSON, Commissioner of Agriculture

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## Pears—(Continued)

**Kieffer**—Large to very large, skin yellow, with a light vermilion cheek; flesh brittle, very juicy, with a marked musky aroma; good quality. It is unfortunate that the merits of this fruit have been underestimated from the haste in which it is hurried to market in an immature condition, and often before it has attained the proper size. When allowed to hang upon the trees until the beginning of October, and then carefully ripened in a cool, dark room, there are few Pears which are more attractive. Combines extreme juiciness with a sprightly subacid flavor and the peculiar aroma of Bartlett. Fruit should be thinned. 90 per cent Kieffer and 10 per cent Le Conte should always be the arrangement, on account of pollenizing.

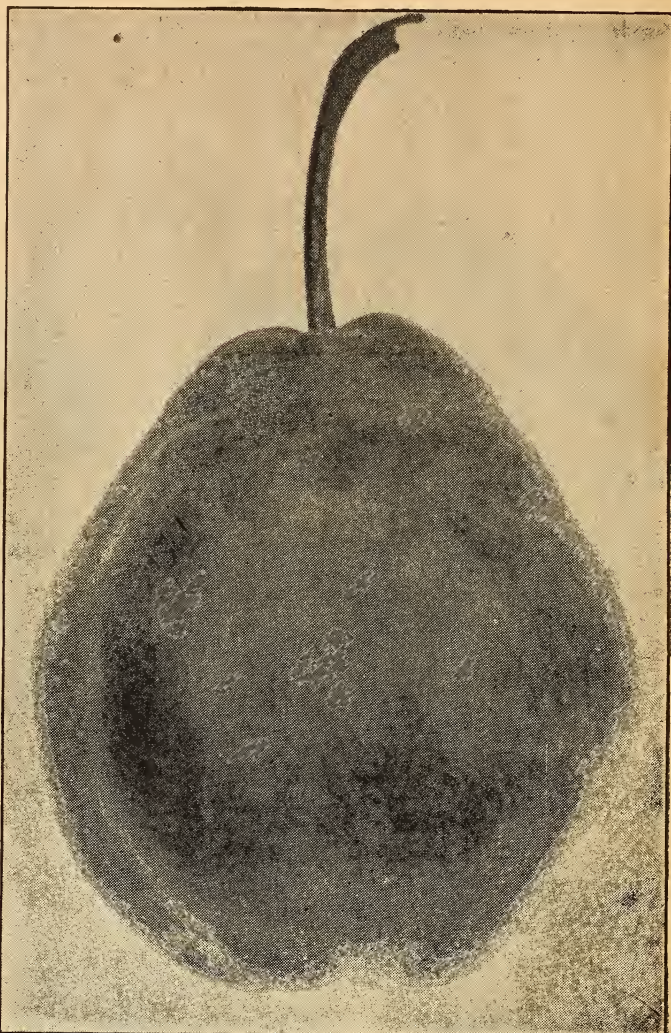
**Lawrence**—Trees healthy, hardy and very productive. Fruit large; skin yellow, covered with brown spots. Flesh whitish, rich, buttery, and aromatic. One of the quality pears that has great merit for commercial orchards.

**Le Conte**—Undoubtedly another hybrid from the Chinese Sand Pear. Large, pyriform; smooth, pale yellow, quality good, juicy and pleasant. Tree remarkably vigorous, healthy and free from blight. A prolific bearer and profitable. Oct.

Siddonsburg, Pa., Oct. 8, 1913  
Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.

I thank you for the trees I got last spring. I am very well pleased with them. They made a fine growth. Hereafter you may expect all of my orders. With best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,  
W. H. KOHLER.



**Kieffer Pear**

### Wholesale Prices of Kieffer Pear Trees

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	$\frac{3}{4}$ and up	XXX	.35	\$3.00	\$17.50
Medium Size	2 Year	4½ to 6 Feet	$\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$	XX	.30	2.50	12.50
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$	X	.25	2.00	7.50
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Feet and up		XXX	.30	2.50	12.50

### OUR NURSERIES ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM SAN JOSE SCALE

It is an established fact that San Jose Scale has never been found in our nurseries. We have here three resident New York State Inspectors who look after our stock from seedling to freight car, and not once has this worst of insect pests made its appearance in our nurseries. We welcome the visits of the inspectors, because we know this helps to keep our stock free from disease. Ours is the only nursery center of any importance in the United States that is absolutely free from San Jose Scale.

SEE OUR SPECIAL COLLECTIONS ON PAGE 32



# Dwarf Pear Trees

The cultivation of Dwarf Pears is very profitable. The trees are low-headed and the fruit is easily handled and comes into bearing usually the second or third year. Pears are dwarfed by budding on Quince stock, and the trees should be planted three inches below the union. All varieties of Pear do not give good results as dwarfs. We recommend the following varieties to be good growers and bearers, and to give the best satisfaction as dwarfs:

**Bartlett, Kieffer, Clapp's Favorite, Beurre d' Anjou, Duchess d' Angouleme, Louise Bonne de Jersey, and Seckel.** (For description of these varieties see Standard Pears.)

DWARF SECKEL



### Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Dwarf Pear Trees

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	3½ to 5 Feet	¾ and up	XXX	.25	\$2.00	\$15.00
Medium Size	2 Year	3 to 4 Feet	⅝ to ¾	XX	.20	1.50	12.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	2 to 3 Feet	½ to ⅝	X	.10	1.00	10.00

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**TO OTHER FRUIT GROWERS:**

I went up to Dansville Oct. 20, 1912 with the intention of staying to see my trees dug and shipped. After a couple of days of looking around, I decided to place my order of some 6000 trees with Kelly Brothers as they had the varieties I wanted and large blocks to select from. Most of all they would begin at once on my order. The trees came in time to plant in the fall and they were most carefully packed. I am also satisfied that my varieties are true to name as I know the standard varieties I use by their characteristics.

Downington, Pa., Jan. 4, 1913.  
CHARLES G. CRAWFORD, Horticulturist.

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—

Pawtaucket, R. I., Sept. 22, 1914.

I thank you for the Fall catalog just received. I bought a number of various kinds of fruit trees from you last Spring. I told you when I ordered them that I was getting some from a competitor. Both were received in due time and although price was the same and supposed to be the same kind of stock, yours was far superior. Yours were strong, healthy, vigorous trees, carefully packed. The others were not to be compared with yours. I do not think a single tree or shrub of yours failed; everyone shows a healthy and good growth. I now want to order some more from you and herewith send you a list. I will want some more Peach Trees, but presume I had better have them sent next Spring.

Sincerely yours,

WALKER MILLER.

**NOT ALL ARE GROWERS WHO MAKE THE CLAIM. WE ARE GROWERS.**



# Plum Trees



NO OTHER fruit tree, unless it is the cherry, will produce more abundantly than a plum tree. Although they will yield crop after crop despite neglect, plum trees will readily show the result of care and modern methods of fruit growing. The commercial side of plum production has received much attention in late years but the supply still falls far short of the demand. In general, plum trees thrive best in a sandy or clayey soil. A distance of 16 to 18 feet apart is considered the best for plum trees with the distance increased to 20 feet where a wagon spraying outfit is used. Many varieties of plums produce so abundantly that the best results will be obtainable only by careful thinning. If allowed to

grow naturally the trees will be weakened and the quality of the fruit will be inferior. We can recommend to the planter the following varieties.

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Plum Trees

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	5 to 7 Feet	¾ and up	XXX	.35	\$3.00	\$25.00
Medium Size	2 Year	4½ to 6 Feet	⅝ to ¾	XX	.30	2.50	20.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	½ to ⅝	X	.25	2.00	15.00
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Feet and up		XXX	.30	2.50	20.00

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### EUROPEAN PLUMS

**Bradshaw**—A very large and fine plum, dark violet red, juicy and good. erect and vigorous; very productive; valuable for market. The quality is excellent, and it is destined to become one of the most popular of all plums for canning, while its attractive color, good quality and shipping properties will cause it to be sought for as a market variety. It ripens ten days to two weeks later than

early  
Trees

greenish; flesh juicy, rich and delicious, parts from the stone. Tree a vigorous grower; very productive and one of the best plums. Middle of August.

**Fellemburg Prune**—Dark purple with a dark blue bloom; size medium; oval, pointed and tapering. Flesh juicy and delicious; fine for drying. In the West it is grown by the thousands of acres and shipped by the trainload to all markets of the world.

**Geuif**—Very large, bluish purple; flesh yellowish green, sweet. Tree hardy and rapid grower.

**German Prune**—A valuable Plum for dessert, but most esteemed for market and drying or preserving. Fruit long, oval, purple with a thick bloom; flesh firm, sweet and pleasant, separating freely from the stone; moderate growth. A great favorite. A sure market for all you have to sell at very profitable prices.

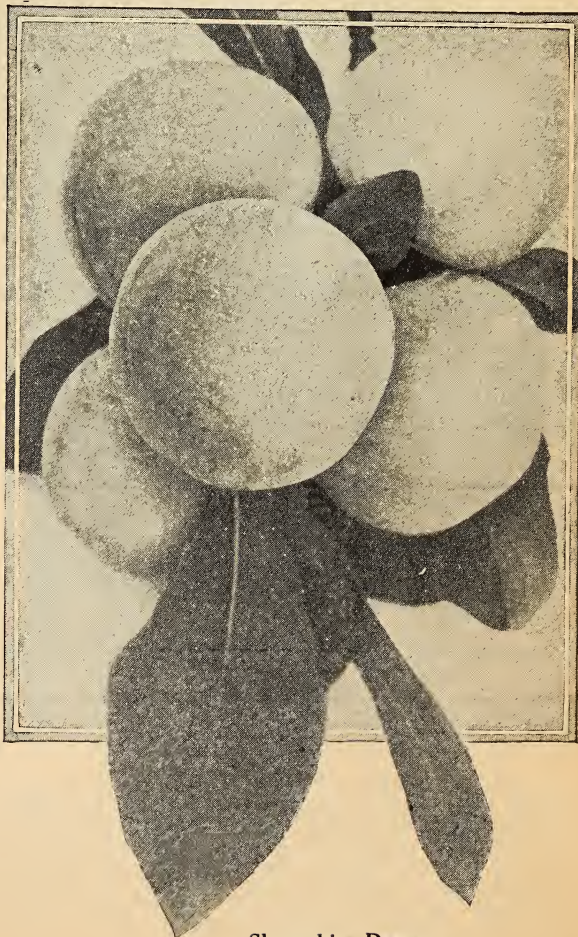
**Lombard**—Medium to large, roundish, oval, dark red, flesh yellow, juicy and pleasant flavor; hardy popular, nearly always producing a crop, a valuable commercial sort. August.

**Monarch**—Very large brilliant; bluish purple; flesh, pale golden green; juicy, abundant bearer and begins fruiting young. Free from rot; excellent for market. September.

**Shipper's Pride**—Large and handsome, dark purple; quality fine, juicy and sweet; excellent for canning. September.

**Shropshire Damson**—Large, amber color, juicy and sprightly; most desirable of the Damson class; productive and not liable to rot; good commercial sort. Sept.

**Imperial Gage**—Rather large; oval;



Shropshire Damson

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# Direct from Grower to Planter



## Plums (Continued)



German Prune

### European Plums (Continued)

**Reine Claude**—Large, pale yellow, marked with red, excellent and of fine quality; good bearer; valuable for commercial purposes. Middle of September.

**York State Prune** is one of the largest, best in quality and most productive of all prunes or plums. Size large; color dark blue, covered with purple blush; flesh yellow and delicious; freestone, ripening the last week in September. It originated in Dansville, N. Y.

### JAPANESE PLUMS

**Abundance**—Fruit large, showy, beautiful. Amber, turning to a rich, bright cherry color, with a decided white bloom, and highly perfumed. Flesh light yellow, exceedingly juicy and tender, of a delicious sweetness impossible to describe. Stone small and parts readily from flesh. For canning it is of greatest excellence. Its season is very early, ripening in advance of other plums, thus adding to its special value.

**Burbank**—When properly thinned, the fruit is very large, nearly round and bright, deep red; flesh a deep yellow, very sweet, meaty and quite firm, keeping and shipping finely. Tree hardy and vigorous, but sprawling in growth; needs close pruning; enormously productive. Burbank orchards have been very profitable up to date.

**Red June**—The best Japan plum, ripening before Abundance. Medium to large; deep vermilion-red, with handsome bloom; flesh light lemon-yellow, firm; moderately juicy; fine quality. Tree upright, spreading, vigorous and hardy; productive.

**Satsuma**—Large, globular, with sharp point. Color purple and red with bloom; flesh firm, juicy, dark red or blood color, fine quality; pit very small.

**Wickson**—A sturdy, upright grower; fruit remarkably handsome, deep, maroon-red, covered with white bloom; stone small; flesh fine texture, firm, sugary and delicious; excellent keeper and shipper.

**October Purple**—Originated by Burbank, who regarded it as one of the best introduced. Fruits on the old wood and frequently measures seven inches in circumference. Tree a strong, erect, grower, forming a shapely head.

**Shiro**—Medium size, yellow, and very sweet. The best quality of any of the Japan Plums. We have fruited it in Nursery rows and can recommend it highly for garden planting. Sept.

**Sultan**—A large, handsome Plum of purplish-crimson color; excellent for cooking and preserving. Keeps long and ships well.

**Climax**—Very large; deep, rich red; fine flavor; one of the earliest to ripen. Mr. Burbank regards this as one of his most valuable productions.

### Plum on Peach

In addition to the preceding list of European and Japanese Plums on French Imported Myrobalan Plum Roots we have some varieties of Plums budded on Peach Roots. A great many planters and fruit growers in the South and West prefer them to Plum Roots. The trees are exceptionally fine, having made an extra good growth during the past season, and we most highly recommend them to you. We offer the following varieties:

German Prune, Wickson, Italian Prune, Fellemburg Prune, Shiro, Climax, Red June, Satsuma, Burbank, Abundance and York State Prune

### Wholesale Prices of Plum on Peach

	2 YEAR	EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
5 to 7 ft. $\frac{3}{4}$ and up		.30	\$2.50	\$20.00
4½ to 6 ft. $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$		.25	2.00	15.00
4 to 5 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$		.20	1.50	10.00

WE GUARANTEE THAT OUR STOCK WILL REACH YOU IN GOOD CONDITION



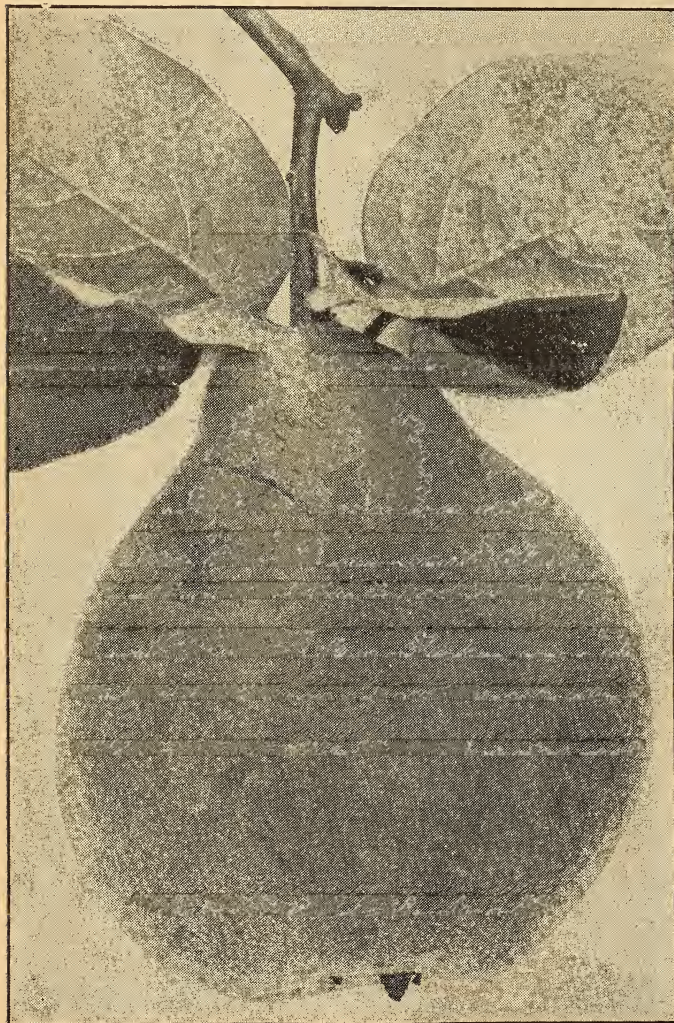
# Quince Trees

Its pre-eminence as a fruit for jellies and preserves makes the Quince a profitable tree for the fruit grower, farmer or any one having even a small garden. The Quince tree does not take much room on account of its dwarfish character. Any kind of good, rich soil will give good results. It can be grown in bush or tree form. Hardly any family's fruit supply for the winter is complete without the Quince. We recommend the following varieties:

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Quince Trees

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	4 to 6 Feet	$\frac{9}{16}$ and up	XXX	.35	\$3.00	\$25.00
Medium Size	2 Year	3 to 4 Feet	$\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$	XX	.30	2.50	20.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	2 to 3 Feet	$\frac{5}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{16}$	X	.10	1.00	10.00
Largest Size	1 Year	3 Feet and up		XXX	.30	2.50	20.00

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Orange Quince

**Champion**—Fruit very large, fair and handsome. Tree very handsome, surpassing other varieties in this respect, bears abundantly while young; flesh cooks as tender as an apple and without hard spots and cores; flavor delicate, imparting an exquisite quince taste and odor to any fruit with which it is cooked. One of the most valuable.

**Orange**—Popular, extensively cultivated, reliable and satisfactory. The name was given in an attempt to do justice to its most delicious flavor. Roundish, bright golden yellow, very large, fine grained, fine quality. Best for cooking. Firm, will stand handling and shipping.

**Rea's Mammoth**—Large, rich golden yellow; flesh cooks as tender as the apple and without hard spots or cores, flavor delicate, imparting an exquisite quince taste and odor to any fruit with which it is cooked. Sure to ripen even in northern latitude. Very hardy and productive. We regard it the best of all quinces. October.

**Bourgeat**—Bears at an early age, producing large crops of exceedingly large and handsome fruit, of a rich golden color. While it ripens soon after the Orange it keeps until midwinter, or it is ready to use at once on maturity. It has proved to be free from leaf blight, the leaves keeping green until killed by frost.

**Meech's Prolific**—The most prolific of all known varieties; ripens between the Orange and the Champion. Bears very early, usually a full crop at three years; quality unsurpassed and size large.

**"You'll Never Regret Planting Kelly Trees"**



# Wayne County Orange Quince



Bearing Orchard of Wayne County Orange Quince on Farm of Mr. Fred Grover, Pultneyville, Wayne Co., N. Y., from which we secured our scions for propagating the Wayne Co. Orange Quince. Mr. James Kelly, Senior Member of our Firm in the foreground.

A few years ago it came to our attention that the Orange Quince, as generally grown by nurserymen, was not the very best strain of Orange Quince; in fact, it was inferior in many ways to what it should be with reference to flavor, productiveness and size. We at once began to look around to locate some good strain of the real old-fashioned Orange Quince. We had heard of the Orange Quince orchard of Mr. Fred Grover, Pultneyville, Wayne Co., N. Y. (near Williamson), which is located in the heart of one of the greatest fruit belts in the United States. After thorough personal investigation, covering a period of three successive years, each of which saw enormous crops of this luscious golden yellow fruit, we decided we had found the very best Quince. Mr. Grover told us that he had lived on this same farm for over thirty years, and that every year, without exception, this orchard had yielded an enormous crop. In fact it is the most productive of all Quinces.

We then made arrangements with Mr. Grover to secure scions from this orchard. These scions were taken from this orchard by us personally, and we now offer Quince trees propagated in our nurseries from this magnificent strain. The Wayne County Orange Quince is very large, fine-grained, almost round in shape, and of bright golden yellow color. It is from a third to one-half larger than any other Quince we have ever seen. Being very firm it will stand handling and shipping. It is of such delicious flavor that we could not attempt to do justice to its high quality by a mere catalog description. Ripens from September first to fifteenth. As the size, appearance and quality is so much better than that of the ordinary Quinces, Mr. Grover has always had a great demand for his crop, and has always sold his Quinces at a figure far higher than the ruling market price. The tree itself is very thrifty and bears at an early age. Mrs. Grover says she remembers the trees bearing when they were very small; in fact, this variety has fruited in our nurseries at one and two years old. With all sincerity we can recommend this variety for commercial purposes, or for home use. You will make no mistake in planting this most productive, highest quality Quince. Be sure to get the *genuine* Wayne County Orange Quince direct from Kelly Bros., the introducers. Each tree has attached our Trade Mark label. On one side of the label is printed: "Wayne County Orange Quince;" on the reverse side, "Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y."

## Wholesale Prices of Wayne Co. Orange Quince

					EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Largest Size	2 Year	4 to 5 feet	$\frac{9}{16}$ and up	XXX	.45	\$4.00	\$30.00
Medium Size	2 Year	3 to 4 feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$	XX	.40	3.00	25.00
Smaller Size	2 Year	2 to 3 feet	$\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{7}{8}$	X	.35	2.50	20.00
Largest Size	1 Year	3 feet & Up		XXX	.40	3.00	25.00



# Apricots

This is a rich, delicious fruit, coming between Cherries and Peaches. It is very much like the Peach in outward appearance but like the Plum in quality and texture. The Apricot ripens about a month or more before the best early peaches come in, which explains the reason for the great demand and prevailing high prices. It should be planted in deep, rich soil; and care should be taken to know that the sub-soil as well as the top-soil is dry.

Aside from its value as a fresh fruit, the Apricot has a fixed place on the list of fruits for canning and drying, for which purposes vast quantities are used every year. There is always a market for Apricots and the planter should have no fear of over-production. Our stock of Apricots for this season is exceptionally fine and we make a very attractive price on them.

## Wholesale Prices of all Varieties of Apricot Trees

			EACH	TEN
2 Year	4 to 5 Feet	XXX	.30	\$2.50
2 Year	3 to 4 Feet	XX	.25	2.00
2 Year	2 to 3 Feet	X	.10	1.00

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**Alexis**—Very hardy; an abundant bearer; yellow, with red cheek; large; slightly acid, rich and luscious.

**Budd**—Medium to large; light orange with blush on sunny side; flesh sweet, juicy with flavor of the peach; hardy and productive.

**Harris**—A hardy English sort. Medium size; oblong orange; good quality; very early. The best variety for Eastern culture.

**Alexander**—Fruit yellow, flecked with red, very beautiful and delicious. July.

**Moorpark**—One of the largest, orange with red cheek; firm, juicy, with a rich flavor; very productive. August.

**Gibb**—Tree hardy, grows symmetrical, productive. Fruit medium yellowish, sub-acid, juicy and rich. The best early variety ripening soon after strawberries.

# Nut Trees

The necessity for the importation of large quantities of nuts each year has awakened American agriculturists to the possibilities in producing nuts. Oftentimes the trees will thrive on soil not adapted to profitable fruit growing.

**Black Walnut**—This species is a common and stately forest tree in the middle and western states; grows from forty to sixty feet high; has an open, spreading head and is rapid in growth; produces large crops of nuts with rough hard shell containing rich, oily kernels of fine flavor. Trees 5 to 6 ft., 50c each. 4 to 5 ft., 35c each, \$3.00 per 10.

**American Sweet Chestnut**—This is the well-known native variety with which nearly everyone is familiar. It is a stately tree, attaining great height when mature. It is beautifully symmetrical and when in blossom is as handsome as a tree can be. It bears a nut of good quality and seldom fails to produce a good crop. Aside from their crop value, all the Chestnuts are specially desirable for shade purposes and

for ornamental planting. Trees 4 to 5 ft. in height, 35c each, \$3.00 per ten.

**English Walnut**—A fine, lofty-growing tree, with handsome, spreading head; produces large crops of thin-shelled, delicious nuts which are always in demand at good prices. Trees 3 to 4 ft., 50c each, 10 for \$4.00. 4 to 6 ft., 70c each.

**Chestnut, Spanish**—A handsome round headed tree, producing abundantly, very large nuts that find a ready market at good prices. Price of Spanish Chestnut trees, 4 to 5 ft., 50c each, 10 for \$3.00.

**Butternut**—A fine native tree producing a large longish nut, which is prized for its sweet, oily, nutritious kernel. Price of Butternut trees, 4 to 5 ft., 35c each, 10 for \$3.00.

### BEST TREES EVER PLANTED

Cold Spring Dairy Farm, Kirkville, N. Y., Nov. 5, 1913

Kelly Bros., Dansville, N. Y.

My Dear Sirs:—The box of trees has arrived and I am more than pleased with them. Will say they are the nicest lot of trees that I have ever planted. I thank you most heartily for your careful selection of the trees.

Respectfully yours,  
OLIVER G. GRIDLEY.

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# Direct from Grower to Planter



## Special Bargains in Fruit Trees

Many planters prefer to plant the smaller size trees as it reduces the cost of investment. In all cases they report success in planting this grade as the fibers of the roots are small and readily adhere to the ground and make a rapid and very satisfactory growth the first year. A few buyers of fruit trees have an idea that the smaller size trees are poor trees and are not fit to plant. This is a mistake as each one of our smaller size trees is a good, clean, straight healthy little tree and is first class in every respect according to grade. These small trees are well rooted and mature, and we recommend them most highly to the planter. We have a good stock of Apple, Peach, Pear, Cherry and Plum and offer them at these special low prices:

### Apples

#### Prices of all Varieties of Apple Trees

Bargain Size	2 Year	3 to 4 feet	$\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$	EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Alexander	Hubbardston	Pewaukee	Tolman Sweet	.10	\$1.00	\$7.50
Baldwin	King	R. I. Greening	Winter Banana			Wealthy
Ben Davis	McIntosh Red	Red Astrachan	York Imperial			Wagener
Duchess of Old.	Northern Spy	Sutton Beauty	Stayman's Winesap			Wolf River
Fall Pippin	N. W. Greening	Gano	Pound Sweet			Stark
Early Harvest	Grimes Golden	Rome Beauty	Gravenstein			Delicious
						Yellow Transparent

### Peaches

#### Prices of all Varieties of Peach Trees

Bargain Size	1 Year	2½ to 3½ feet	$\frac{5}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{16}$	EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Beers Smock	Crawford Late	Fitzgerald	Niagara	.10	\$1.00	\$6.00
Carman	Chairs Choice	Foster	Wonderful			Wager
Champion	Crosby	Yellow St. John	Hiley			Hill's Chili
Crawford Early	Belle of Georgia	Mountain Rose	Engles Mammoth			Elberta
						Kalamazoo

### Cherries

#### Prices of all Varieties of Cherry Trees

Bargain Size	2 Year	3 to 4 feet	$\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$	EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Dyehouse	Montmorency	Bing	Napoleon	.10	\$1.00	\$10.00
Early Richmond	Ostheime	Black Tartarian	Schmidt's Big.			
English Morello	Olivet	Gov. Wood	Windsor			
May Duke	Wragg	Lambert	Yellow Spanish			

### Pears

#### Prices of all Varieties of Pear Trees

Bargain Size	2 Year	3 to 4 feet	$\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$	EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Beurre d' Anjou	Clapp's Favorite	Flemish Beauty	Seckel	.10	\$1.00	\$8.50
Bartlett	Duchess	Kieffer	Wilder Early			

### Plums

#### Prices of all Varieties of Plum Trees

Bargain Size	2 Year	3 to 4 feet	$\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$	EACH	TEN	HUNDRED
Abundance	German Prune	Beauty of Naples	Shrop. Damson	.10	\$1.00	\$10.00
Burbank	Fellemburg	Reine Claude	October Purple			Satsuma
Bradshaw	Imperial Gage	Moore's Arctic	York State Prune			Wickson
Shippers Pride	Lombard	Pond's Seedling				Red June

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# Advice to Planters

**Preparation of the Soil**—Prepare a rich, deep bed of mellow soil, and have the land sufficiently drained to relieve the roots from standing water. To insure a fine growth land should be in as good condition as is required for a crop of wheat, corn or potatoes.

**Preparation of Trees or Other Stock**—We use great care in digging and packing, but the loss of some small roots and fibers is unavoidable. If stock is properly prepared before it is planted, no permanent injury will result from this, but the preservation of the natural balance between top and roots renders a vigorous cutting back of the former absolutely necessary in most cases. And, therefore, prune off broken ends of roots, if any (a smooth cut root granulates or makes ready to extend sooner than one broken off), cut back the tops to the extent of about one-half the previous season's growth, taking care at all times to prune in such a manner as will tend to develop a well formed head, sufficiently open to admit air and light freely. Evergreen and other ornamental trees, the beauty of which depends on preserving their natural form, should be pruned very little. Hence, great pains should be taken in planting and caring for these. If not ready to plant when the stock arrives, "heel it in" by placing the roots in a trench and covering them with mellow earth, well packed.

**Planting**—Make the holes large enough to admit the roots without any cramping or bending, and deep enough to bring the tree to its natural depth. The fine surface soil should be used in covering the roots, and this should be carefully worked among them. If the ground is dry it is well to pour in some water when the hole is partially filled. See that the ground is firmly and solidly packed over all parts of the roots by exerting the full weight of the planter upon it, so that there will be no opportunity for dry air or frost to enter and destroy roots deprived of the full benefit of their natural protection. Omission to pack the earth solidly is a most frequent cause of failure in planting nursery stock. Fill the holes full enough to be even with the surrounding surface after the fresh earth settles. Always remove the label when planting. If this is left until the tree is grown, the connecting wire often cuts into and destroys the tree or branch to which it may be attached. When planting dwarf trees set them low enough to cover the stock upon which they are budded, three or four inches.

**Mulching**—When trees or bushes are planted, they should be mulched or covered with a layer of coarse manure or litter from three to six inches deep for a space of say, two feet more in diameter than the extent of the roots. This keeps the earth moist and at an even temperature.

**After-Culture**—Grass should not be allowed to grow about young trees or plants. The ground should be cultivated for a space of at least a foot outside the roots. If the ground is poor it should be enriched with surface application of manure. Pruning should be varied according to the condition of the tree and the purpose of the planter. It should be done regularly every spring before the buds swell any. In this way the removal of any large branches will be avoided.

## A Table Showing the Number of Trees or Plants to the Acre by the Square System

Distance	No. of Trees	Distance	No. of Trees	Distance	No. of Trees
1 foot apart each way	43,560	9 feet apart each way	537	17 feet apart each way	150
2 feet " " " "	10,890	10 " " " "	435	18 " " " "	134
3 " " " "	4,840	11 " " " "	360	19 " " " "	120
4 " " " "	2,722	12 " " " "	305	20 " " " "	108
5 " " " "	1,745	13 " " " "	257	25 " " " "	69
6 " " " "	1,210	14 " " " "	222	30 " " " "	48
7 " " " "	888	15 " " " "	193	35 " " " "	35
8 " " " "	680	16 " " " "	170	40 " " " "	27

**Rule.**—Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant or hill; which divided into the number of feet in an acre (43,560), will give the number of trees to an acre.

### Distances for Planting

Standard Apples	40 feet apart each way
Standard Pears and Strong Growing Cherries	20 " " " "
Duke and Morello Cherries	18 " " " "
Standard Plums, Peaches, Apricots and Nectarines	16 to 18 " " " "
Dwarf Pears, Dwarf Apples and Quinces	10 to 12 " " " "
Grapes	rows of 10 to 16 feet apart; 7 to 16 ft. in rows
Currants and Gooseberries	4 feet apart
Raspberries and Blackberries	3 to 4 feet by 5 to 7 feet
Strawberries, for field culture	1 by 3 to 3½ feet
Strawberries, for garden culture	1 to 2 feet apart
Asparagus in beds	1 by 1½ feet
Asparagus in fields	1 by 3 feet

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